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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

JOHN C. S. KOO

Serial No.: 10/613,741

Filed: July 3, 2003

For: Shoe Having a Contoured Bottom

WITH SMALL PARTICLES BONDED TO THE LOWEST EXTENDING PORTIONS

THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 3728

Examiner: Stashick, Anthony D.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This submission is made in response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006.